

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

JEFFREY S. PATTERSON,)	3:11-cv-00845-HDM-WGC
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Plaintiff,)	<u>MINUTES OF THE COURT</u>
)	
vs.)	July 27, 2012
)	
STATE OF NEVADA, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
_____)	

PRESENT: THE HONORABLE WILLIAM G. COBB, U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DEPUTY CLERK: KATIE LYNN OGDEN REPORTER: NONE APPEARING

COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFF(S): NONE APPEARING

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT(S): NONE APPEARING

MINUTE ORDER IN CHAMBERS:

Before the court is plaintiff's Motion for an Order Compelling Discovery (Doc. #27), wherein plaintiff seeks to have the court order the defendants to produce certain documentation, including medical records. Plaintiff's "motion" (Doc. #27) is actually a request for production. However, no discovery has yet been propounded nor has a scheduling order been issued. The court notes the defendants have not yet answered the complaint, which is typically a prerequisite to the Court issuing a scheduling order. Therefore, discovery is premature.

Plaintiff's Motion (Doc. #27) is therefore **DENIED** as premature. A scheduling order will be issued if defendants answer or if good cause otherwise appears that discovery should proceed herein. L.R. 16.1.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK

By: /s/
Deputy Clerk